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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)****ADDRESS TO:****Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450****Attorney Docket No.:** 01-230  
**Application No.:** 09/290,941  
**Filing Date:** April 13, 1999  
**First Named Inventor:** Dalgic et al.  
**Group Art Unit:** 2666  
**Examiner:** Ronald B. Abelson

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to and including October 27, 2004.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

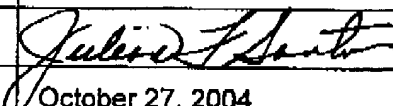
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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))    | \$       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))   | \$430.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))  | \$       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))  | \$       |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 13-2490.

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED**

<b>Name</b>	Julian F. Santos
<b>Reg. No.</b>	47,917
<b>Signature</b>	
<b>Date</b>	October 27, 2004

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